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In re Application of
Jochen HEINZ et al.
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Responsive to the Final Office Action dated January 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.